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## Crawford County Officers.

### COUNTY OFFICERS

Sheriff.....H. O. Bessler  
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Treasurer.....John F. Hum  
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Clerk.....S. B. Phelps Jr.  
Assessor.....Fred Hanson  
Treasurer.....H. Hanson  
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### Society Meetings.

Methodist Episcopal Church.  
Services every first and third Sunday of the month. Preaching, 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school, 10 a. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. All cordially invited to attend.

### Presbyterian Church.

Regular church services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School immediately after morning service. Preaching, Wednesday, 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

### Methodist Protestant Church.

Rev. Wm. Terhune, Pastor. Services as follows: Preaching, Wednesday, 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend the above services.

### Danish Ev. Lutheran Church.

Rev. P. Kjolhede, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Biblical Lecture Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. J. J. Riess, Pastor.

### St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Services every first and third Sunday of the month. Confession on the preceding Saturday. On Sunday, Mass at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. School at 9 a. m. and 7 p. m. J. J. Riess, Pastor.

### Grayling Lodge No. 366 F. & A. M.

Meets to regular communication on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Officers: J. J. Riess, W. M.; J. P. Hum, Sec'y.

### Marvin Post No. 240, G. A. R.

Meets the second and fourth Saturdays in each month. Officers: A. L. Pond, Adjutant.

### Women's Relief Corps, No. 188.

Meets on the second and fourth Saturdays at 8 o'clock. Officers: Mrs. Eliza J. Bratt, President; Mrs. Agnes Havens, Sec'y.

### Grayling Chapter R. A. M. No. 120

Meets every third Tuesday in each month. Officers: J. J. Hum, Sec'y.

### Grayling Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 187

Meets every Tuesday evening. Officers: A. G. Wright, N. G.; Peter Borcher, Sec'y.

### Crawford Tent, K. O. T. M. No. 195

Meets first and third Saturdays of each month. Officers: M. Brenner, R. K.

### Grayling Chapter, O. E. S. No. 831

Meets Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Officers: Mrs. Eliza J. Bratt, President; Mrs. Anna Harrington, Sec'y.

### Court Grayling, I. O. F. No. 790

Meets second and third Wednesday of each month. Officers: A. V. Harrington, C. R.; Mrs. Anna Harrington, Sec'y.

### Companion Court Grayling No. 652, I. O. F.

Meets the second and third Wednesday of each month at Macabee Hall, over H. Peterson's store. Officers: Mrs. Eliza J. Bratt, C. R.; Mrs. Nellie McEwen, Sec'y.

### Crawford Elve, 690, L. O. T. M. M.

Meets first and third Friday of each month. Officers: Nancy Deckrow, Lady Com.; Emma Ayous, Record Keeper.

### Garfield Circle, No. 16, Ladies of the G. A. R.

Meets the second and third Friday evening of each month. Officers: Anna Harrington, President; Mrs. Eliza J. Bratt, Sec'y.

### Crawford County Grange, No. 984

Meets at 8 o'clock on first and third Saturday of each month. Officers: Perry O. Hall, Sec'y; Geo. W. Bratt, Sec'y.

### M. W. O. A. Camp No. 10429.

Meets first and third Thursday evening at G. A. R. Hall. Officers: C. O. McCullough, V. C.; M. A. Bates, Clerk.

### Grayling Rebekah Lodge No. 352 I. O. O. F.

Meets every Monday evening. Officers: P. D. Borcher, Sec'y; Ada Borcher, Sec'y.

### Skandinavien F. P.

Meets the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month at 8 o'clock. Officers: John Olson, Secretary; Daniel Slaterhood, 2nd and 4th Tues. of each month; W. J. Hanson, Pres.; Christine Nelson, Sec'y.

### Danebod Hall.

Open Saturday evening 6:30-9:30. Sunday 10:30-12:30. Open 8 p. m. on Friday. Society meets the first and third Thursday of each month. Lectures at 8 o'clock Friday evening.

### Unity Lodge No. 1362 M. B. A.

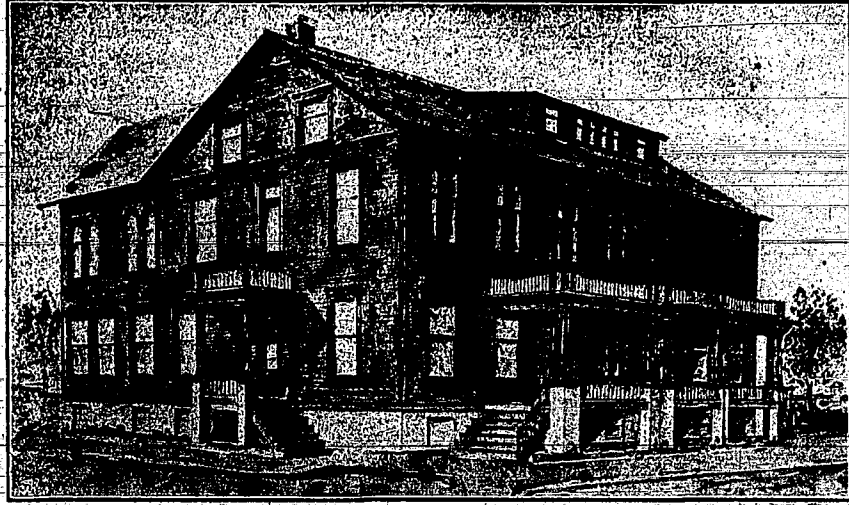
Meets the first and third Thursday of each month in the Macabee Hall. Officers: G. V. Randall, Pres.; P. D. Borcher, Sec'y.

### Temple En ampent No. 160

Meets every first and third Friday of each month. Officers: C. O. McCullough, C. P.; P. D. Borcher, Sec'y.

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GRAYLING MERCY HOSPITAL.

## Hospital Day.

The ladies of the village of Grayling met last Friday afternoon in the club rooms of the Grayling Social Club, and organized for the purpose of having an "Hospital Day" here at Grayling. Mrs. Geo. Alexander was appointed general chairman, and the different committees were also appointed—committees for soliciting refreshments, receptions and donations. The ladies have set March 28, 1911 as the "Hospital Day," on the afternoon and evening of that day, the hospital will be thrown open to the general public and refreshments served, the proceeds of which will go to help pay the furnishings of the hospital. March 28, 1911 will also be "tag day" and everyone will be asked by the ladies to donate, then be tagged. Any donation, no matter what it may be, or how small or great, will be received.

Every citizen of Grayling should turn out, visit the hospital, go through it, have refreshments, and contribute your mite to this worthy cause. The hospital is ours, and we must take the greatest interest in it. Clark's Orchestra will play in the evening. Everyone turn out and make March 28, 1911 a "red letter day" in the history of Grayling. This will be the only opportunity the people will have to go through the whole hospital; every one, therefore, should avail themselves of using this opportunity, and see one of the best and most up-to-date hospitals in the northern part of the state.

## GRAYLING DAY.

Grayling Day will be observed at the hospital Tuesday, March 28. At that time all will have an opportunity to inspect the building, see what a fine institution we have and to realize how proud we should be of it, our own hospital and the only one nearer than Bay City. Many things are still needed to equip it, and it will be a very suitable occasion for every one to make whatever they care to offer. Any thing that can be used in a home will be acceptable. Provisions of all kinds, linens, kitchen utensils, etc., etc.

Every one come and help to make it a day of both pleasure and profit.  
MRS. GEO. ALEXANDER,  
Chairman.

## Financial Report of the

### Grayling Hospital.

The Trustees of the Grayling Hospital having in charge the building of same, herewith submit the following report as to the amount subscribed and the amount expended up to this time, which speak for themselves:

Balance of D. Ward.....\$7,000.00  
C. W. Ward.....3,000.00  
C. W. Ward.....1,000.00  
N. Michelson.....1,000.00  
J. Benson.....1,000.00

E. L. Michelson.....1,000.00  
D. M. Kneeland.....500.00  
Mrs. E. J. Cornwell.....500.00  
Mrs. F. C. Burden.....250.00  
Mrs. O. S. Hawes.....250.00  
N. P. Olson.....200.00  
A. M. Lewis & Co.....100.00  
Walsh Mfg. Co.....100.00  
T. E. Douglas Co.....100.00  
T. W. Hanson.....100.00

Barber Hanson.....100.00  
M. Hanson.....100.00  
G. L. Alexander.....100.00  
H. A. Bauman.....50.00  
O. N. Michelson.....50.00  
Grayling Mercantile Co.....50.00  
Chris. Hanson.....50.00  
John Benson.....50.00  
J. O. Burton.....50.00  
Brotherhood of R. R. Trainmen.....50.00  
F. E. Michelson.....50.00  
Wm. Fischer.....50.00  
Hon. Nelson Sharpe.....25.00  
R. H. Mills.....25.00  
Campbell Gravel Co.....19.98  
R. D. Conline.....10.00  
C. J. Huthaway.....10.00  
J. O. Goudrow.....10.00  
A. C. Olson.....10.00

Total.....\$7,521.86  
Cash on hand.....\$3,284.60  
Unpaid Subscriptions.....900.00  
Total.....\$4,184.60

Balance needed to complete.....\$3,337.26  
You will notice it will require about \$3,337.26 to complete the building and furnish it, and for that reason the trustees have decided to have a Grayling Hospital Day, which will be in charge of the Ladies'. There will be a reception at the Hospital, and refreshments will be served there.

For the benefit of the uninformed will state the hospital is Non-Secretarian, but will be in charge of the Sisters of Mercy. It is built for the Common-wealth, and every citizen in town whether high or low have an equal interest in it, and if the cause is a worthy one, and built on the right kind of a foundation there can be no question of the ultimate result. Its sole and only purpose is to relieve suffering humanity.

It is to be hoped that every citizen in town will take a hand and make Grayling Hospital Day a success in a financial way and otherwise.

Very truly yours,  
JOHN J. REISS, Pres. & Mgr.  
S. N. INSLEY M. D., Sec'y.  
MARIUS HANSON, Treas.

RASMUS HANSON, Trustees.

Dr. S. N. Insley returned from Detroit the first of the week, where he has purchased a considerable furniture for the Hospital, Carpets, Bedding, and standard articles which will be required for immediate use. The operating room will be equipped in a manner considered equal to the best in the country, and nothing will be omitted any where which would add to the benefit of the patients in any department.

The Dr. expects to leave again in a few days for Chicago and other cities to visit the best hospitals, secure advice for all equipments so that no mistake may be made in the purchase.

A full description of the furnishings will be given in a future issue. Our citizens will not make the mistake of considering "Hospital Day," next Tuesday, the Dedication day of the New Hospital. That will not be until some day early in April, when the corner stone will be laid, with appropriate ceremonies, which will be fully advertised. It is expected that at that time there will be a large attendance of the medical and surgical fraternity of the state.

REDUCED FARES  
NEW YORK  
CENTRAL  
LINES

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS  
via  
Michigan Central  
to the  
SOUTH AND SOUTH-EAST  
Tickets on sale April 4, and 15, 1911  
Final return limit 25 days. To points in North Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia, on the Chesapeake & Ohio Ry., Norfolk & Western, or Virginia Ry., return limit 29 days.

## The Furnishing.

M. A. Bates.....10.00  
E. Kraus.....10.00  
Sorenson Bros.....10.00  
L. Colten.....10.00  
Hans Peterson.....10.00  
G. W. Slade.....10.00  
Wm. Butler.....10.00  
N. Schjotz.....10.00  
Thos. Cassidy.....10.00  
John Larson.....5.00

Total.....\$17,194.98  
M. A. Bates, one year telephone service.

Pennell Bros., corner stone of marble.  
O. Palmer, land valued at \$280.00.  
C. W. Ward, land valued at \$300.00.  
Selling Hanson Co., land valued at \$200.00.

Brotherhood of R. R. Trainmen will furnish one room.  
C. W. Ward, will furnish one room.  
R. Hanson, will furnish one room.

Selling Heirs, will furnish one room.  
Mrs. E. B. Hartwick, will furnish one room.

We also submit the following report of the amount of money which we have expended to date.

Check No.:

1 Pratt & Kroeppe.....\$ 355.57  
2 Julius Nelson.....100.00  
3 W. F. Brink.....15.00  
4 Campbell Gravel Co.....219.84  
5 T. E. Douglas Co.....95.47  
6 Julius Nelson.....50.00  
7 Julius Nelson.....30.00  
8 Frank Deckrow.....500.00  
9 Clark & Rogers.....1,500.00  
10 Kewanee Water supply.....535.50  
11 Clark & Rogers.....1,000.00  
12 Frank Deckrow.....600.00  
13 H. Hanson, insurance.....150.00  
14 Clark & Rogers.....2,000.00  
15 F. Deckrow.....500.00  
16 Julius Nelson.....29.24  
17 Frank Deckrow.....600.00  
18 Clark & Rogers.....4,500.00  
19 American Express.....3.45  
20 Clark & Rogers.....1,000.00  
21 Grayling Electric Co.....637.55  
22 W. F. Brink.....40.25  
23 Frank Deckrow.....200.00  
24 E. Stacey.....50.00  
25 J. Nelson.....5.00  
26 Clark & Rogers.....500.00  
Freight.....162.69

Amount expended.....\$12,379.56  
Bal. on hand Mar. 18th.....3,284.50  
Amt. of cash col. from subscribers to date.....\$15,664.16

The following is an estimate of the probable amount which we will need to complete and furnish the hospital.

Clark & Rogers.....\$1,400.00  
F. R. Deckrow.....800.00  
E. Stacey.....50.00  
Signal System.....357.53  
Kerry & Hanson Elec. Co.....379.33  
Selling Hanson Co.....35.00  
Operating, Sterilizing, Tables  
Beds and Instruments.....2,500.00  
Chapel.....500.00  
Office and Parlor Furniture.....500.00  
Laundry.....500.00  
Grading and Cements Walks.....500.00

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WINTER TOURIST FARES  
via  
Michigan Central  
to points in  
Alabama, Central America, Cuba, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mexico, Mississippi, New Providence, New Mexico, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Texas.

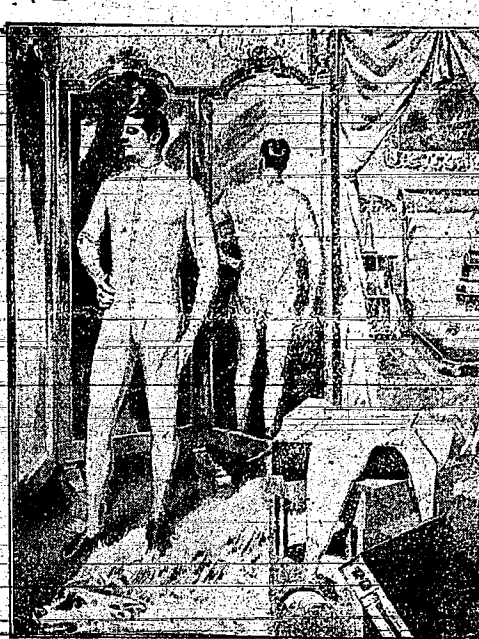
Tickets on sale daily until April 30, '11  
Tickets are also sold to Florida, going one route, returning another Liberal stop-over privileges.

ONE-WAY SECOND  
and  
MIXED CLASS COLONIST FARES  
via  
Michigan Central  
to points in  
Alberta, Arizona, British Columbia, California, Colorado, Idaho, Mexico, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Saskatchewan, Texas, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

Tickets on sale daily until April 10, '11  
For Particulars Consult Agents.  
No. 177 mar23-1w

English Adopt American Plan.  
American show window lighting is being introduced in London. It is customary in the English capital for shopkeepers to purchase every window with heavy iron shutters that as soon as the day's business is over. This is a relic of those ancient days when it was not safe to leave the shop unprotected, but the American plan of window displays and well-lighted storefronts is being successfully introduced.

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- 7 columns of information on recipes, patterns, formulas, etc., furnished by readers.
- 14 to 21 columns of stories of public men, historical, geographical and other miscellany.
- 5 columns of specially reported sermons by leading American clergymen, and the Sunday School lesson.

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## Fire Alarm Calls.

Directions for turning in Alarm.  
Break glass and turn the lever once around until it stops; you can only turn it one way. Do not turn in a second time, until lever has stopped moving.

No. of Box Where Located.  
19—Michigan and Peninsula Avenues, near Olson's drug store.  
28—Michigan Avenue and Spruce east of Court House.  
32—Michigan Avenue and Norway St. M. C. R. R. Depot.  
37—Ottawa Street, at "Hose" House.  
43—Ottawa and Cedar streets, near Mackay House.  
46—Spruce and Ionis streets, near Julius Nelson's house.  
51—Michigan Ave. and Park street near Chris Hanson's house.  
55—Ogemaw and Maple streets near John Hanson's house.  
64—Selling Hanson Co., Planing mill.  
73—Selling Hanson Co., Band mill.  
82—Kerry Hanson, Flooring mill.  
91—Railroad Reserve, south side on Electric light pole.

## Theft of a Corpse.

A creepy story of the mysterious disappearance of a corpse comes from Vergese, France. A short time ago a young woman named Alexandrine Laurent died at Vergese, and was buried in the Catholic cemetery. A few days ago Alexandrine



# WHERE INDIANS WORSHIPPED

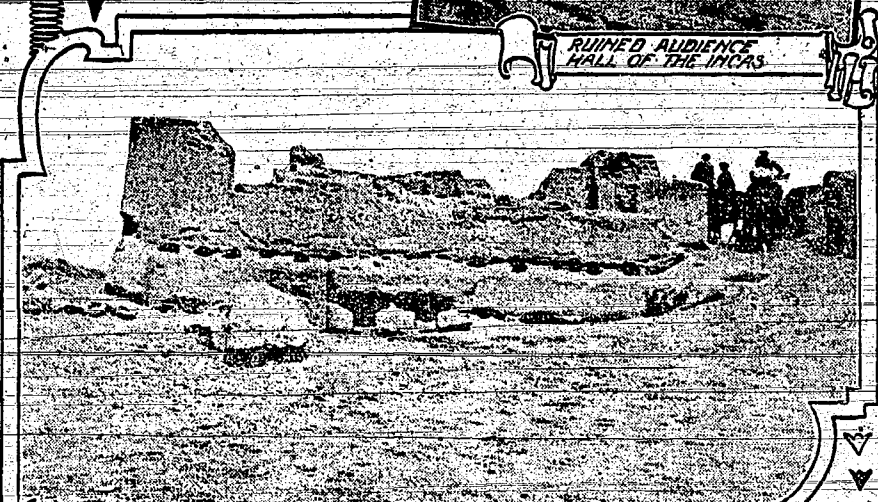
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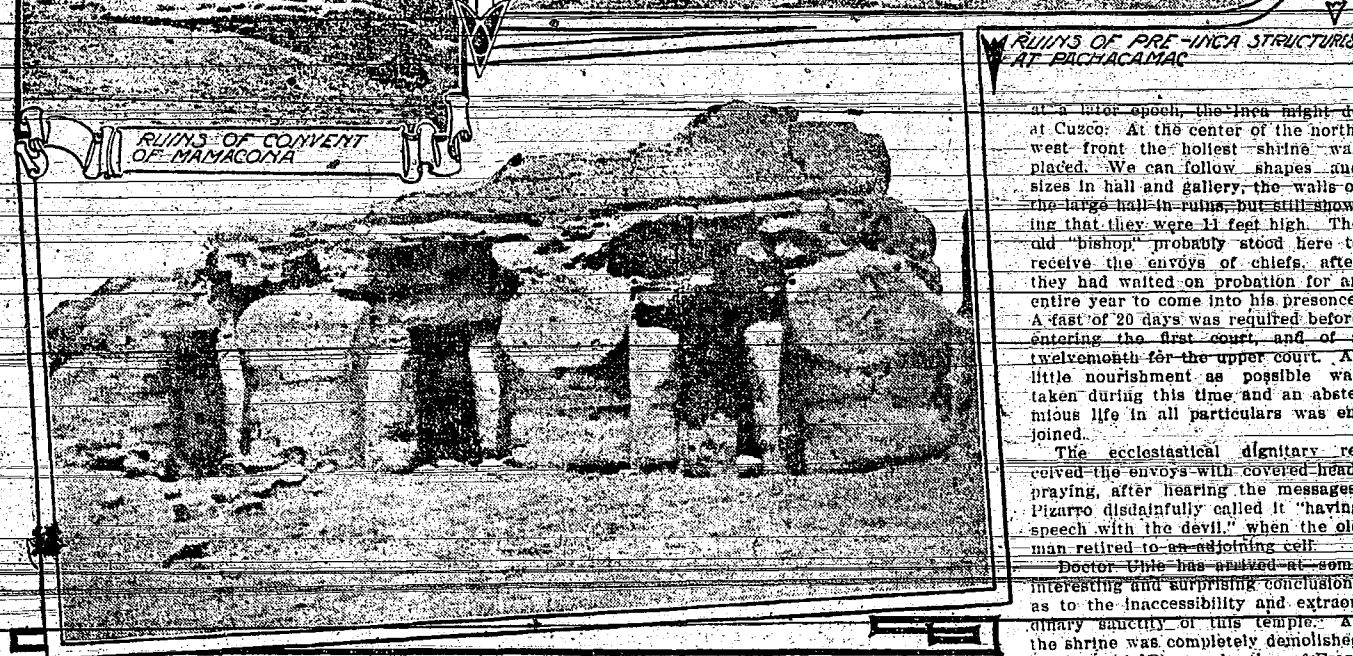
**TEMPLE OF THE SUN FROM DISTANCE**

CENTURIES before the benevolent if autocratic way of the Incas, in the days of prehistoric Peru, Pachacamac, "creator god of the world," "he who animates the universe," "world adjuster," was worshipped by primitive Indians. And despite the magnificent temple of Pachacamac, that marvelous and enigmatic structure near Titicaca, 13,000 feet above sea level, and the splendor of Corticancha's golden courts at Cuzco, the Pachacamac temple by the sea was regarded as more awe-inspiring than either of the others. To its oracles all pilgrims flocked. But during the period immediately before the Spanish conquest these three rivaled one another in richness and sanctity.

Little is left of the old stories today. Walls rise, still showing bits of mural painting, preserved in the hot and dry desert air. Indications of terraces remain, of courts and avenues, a labyrinth of city



RUINED AUDIENCE HALL OF THE INCAS



CONVENT OF MAMAONA

streets; and thousands of skulls, white the surrounding sands, grewsome reminders of the multitude who formerly lived and worshipped at these ruined shrines.

Peru has few marshy lands, and the few that are still so, Pachacamac, the trip from Lima being considered long and hard. But for one accustomed to the saddle (and little of South America can be otherwise seen) Pachacamac is comfortably accessible.

The simplest route is by the excellent electric cars to the pretty suburb (Chorillos, beyond Miraflores, where horses should have been ordered in advance to await the traveler).

Over roadside walls of mud or adobe brick old bastions loom in a riot of color, but high hills rise at one side; the battlefield of San Juan, famous in the Chilean war, and here and there populus haciendas are passed before the open country follows, flat in interest for lovers of birds and growing things. But beyond this fertile tangle one may center along the hard sand beach for nearly all the remaining miles. Sea birds in high myriads that the sun is actually darkened as they fly up at our approach, seven or eight lines of superb Pacific rollers breaking in the distance, a beach of high sand and shingles just back of the beach—and in two or three hours appear the familiar walls and dun-colored remains of Inca occupation.

For Pachacamac has been the scene of several superimposed civilizations, whereby its study is rendered more confusing than that of other ancient shrines. The many graves and their contents were seemingly at variance chronologically inconsistent, with fragments of pottery and implements found near by. But it is certain that pre-Inca Indians had here their chief temple, and that when these all-conquering nobles with their hordes of willing workers arrived triumphantly upon the scene, so far from trying to wipe out the old faith they treated it with much respect, perhaps from prudential motives, building their great temple to the sun on the hill above, but still permitting, even encouraging, continued worship of the creator god, Pachacamac, so that the temple's religious prestige did not suffer under the Incas.

The sun temple seems to have been built to include this earlier sanctuary, which shows an amicable relationship between the older cult and that worship of the sun which the Incas ultimately imposed on conquered tribes.

A beautiful site these early dwellers chose for their rites. Although desert bounded on north and east, the temples themselves set in and by whose echoing cliffs they are now half covered, toward the west rolls the blue Pacific, and southward lies the green and fertile Valley of Ica, watered by its river of the same name, off whose mouth rise rugged islands, the wings of myriad sea birds flashing in the sunshine as they dip and circle and soar about the lofty cliffs.

Only 2 1/2 miles wide at the coast, the little Lurin valley narrows rapidly toward the top. A mile and a half distant lies the village, on the same side of the river as the ruins. Only 500 inhabitants now belong here, but perhaps 2,000 can be counted in the whole parish. Modern Pachacamac holds about 300, its parish 3,000. Trees of many kinds abound—the willow (Salix) always prominent, with cane (cañilla) and tree bearing the chirimoya, paita, lucuma and other

fruits. In old days maize and cotton were extensively cultivated here and in many of the earliest graves seed pods of cotton have been found. It still grows easily in a soil surprisingly rich when traversed by a nearly featureless, apparently barren plain.

The most scholarly and reliable authority upon Pachacamac history is undoubtedly Dr. Max Uhle, now head of the new National museum at Lima. To him is due elucidation of many puzzling anachronisms in this rich region, and it was our good fortune to be accompanied on this trip by Doctor Uhle—to whom every wall and angle and brick has absolute significance.

The name of the creator god, as applied to sanctuary, town and river, came into use only about 170 years before the Spanish conquest. No older name has yet been found.

Burial places always bring rich returns to those who can interpret their annals. Here is an enormous number of graves, not less than 10,000, among them a few startling cells, much cruder and earlier than the majority. Graves are found in the open, in houses, in temples, most of which have, years ago, been filled for the gold, silver and gems supposed to be interred with the dead.

Previous to the Inca conquest probably at least two civilizations met at Pachacamac—the culture of the highlands and the newer customs of the coast. After a cemetery had been used for a long time the temple was destroyed; even the sort of civilization itself was changed.

A third epoch shows a cultural decline, inferior but supplanting, despite the general advance of the world at large. The founding and growth of the Inca empire was one of the last great events of pre-Spanish centuries.

Although Pachacamac graves were so rich in articles from which the story of the past can be read, larger outlines of life and custom may be traced in the ruins of town and temple.

Approaching from the north one sees the convent, still called by its ancient name, Mamacona ("mothers," as applied to the nuns), and a subject of especial study by Doctor Uhle. In the land of the Incas celibate women were not uncommon, and were generally attached to some temple of the sun. The mamacona was secluded on three sides, the front only facing plain and sea, with entrance openings. No fewer than 200 of these nuns lived here, and they were obliged to pass through the inner and outer sanctuary of Pachacamac to reach the convent.

From the convent it is but a short walk to the former, a huge structure 400 feet long, 180 wide and covering two-thirds of an acre. Once there were terraces on three sides, each 20 feet high, but the sand has so blown in and over and about them that they are really discernible now upon only one. Its approaches are by five low and narrow "grades," slightly over three feet high and six in length; the walls, once covered with polychrome frescoes, rich in color and extremely ancient, though traces of design still remain.

The top of the temple is a large plateau, 330 feet by 130. It was at least once rebuilt before the Inca period, and may date from about B.C. 2,000, but it is not, in any event, later than B.C. 1,100.

The valley, and indeed the entire region, was ruled by a chief at Pachacamac, who had the right to enter the temple of the highest deity, as

### RUINS OF PRE-INCA STRUCTURES AT PACHACAMAC

at a brief epoch, the Inca might do at Cuzco. At the center of the north-west front the holiest shrine was placed. We can follow shapes and sizes in hall and gallery, the walls of the large hall in ruins, but still showing that they were 11 feet high. The old "bishop" probably stood here to receive the envoys of chiefs, after they had waited on probation for an entire year to come into his presence. A fast of 20 days was required before entering the first court, and of a twelvemonth for the upper court. As little nourishment as possible was taken during this time and an abstinence in all particulars was enjoined.

The ecclesiastical dignitary received the envoys with covered head, praying, after hearing the messages. Pizarro disdainfully called it "having speech with the devil," when the old man retired to an adjoining cell.

Doctor Uhle has pointed out some interesting and surprising conclusions as to the inaccessibility and extraordinary sanctity of this temple. As the shrine was completely demolished by Hernando Pizarro, brother of Francisco, so the entire temple seems to have been peculiarly the object of early fanaticism.

Not less than of treasure hunters, which despite the rainless climate made of it a more complete ruin even than others in Peru. Smaller than the later sun temple of the Incas, it was more gorgeous. Not only painted with designs in many tints, it was also, quite certainly, incrustated with precious stones and gold presented by the Inca Huayna Capac.

Of the ancient city at least one-quarter was occupied by the temple district and the remainder was divided by cross streets, 13 and 16 feet wide, with courts and buildings of palatial proportions. In the city are four hills, the walls enclosing it all completely. On the northwest these barriers were from 11 to 13 feet high and in general 8 feet broad, although this was in places increased to 16. Vast crowds must have filled the city at many times, for the wide adobe houses and walls, which were used constantly by pedestrians, are worn perfectly smooth on certain thoroughfares by the constant passing of multitudes.

Outside the city walls is wide spreading desert, one will distant only half a mile, not less than 20 feet wide and 475 yards long, still curving around the despoiled riches it once protected.

Of all this great ruined area the sun temple itself is most conspicuous, rising 300 feet above the general level, on a series of terraces; four on the northeast and northwest, five on the south-east.

The modern history of this most interesting region begins with the journey of Hernando Pizarro, ordered by his more famous brother in 1533 to capture the temple treasures of Pachacamac. Pizarro had heard of its splendor at Cajamarca, when the Inca Atahualpa had told him that "ten days away on the road to Cuzco" was a "mosque," chief sanctuary of a whole people, and held in highest reverence by himself and his father, Huayna Capac; and that it contained vast treasures of gold and silver ornaments. But Hernando Pizarro traveled only about 10 miles a day, taking 22 days to cover the 340 miles, whereas the swift Indian runners bore messages of warning in far less time (one old Indian once ran from La Paz to Tachna, 190 miles, in three days), and much of the golden treasure was removed or concealed before his arrival. Enough remained, however, for colossal riches.

His conquest was complete on reaching the sanctuary. He at once demolished the shrine of the temple of Pachacamac, and its most sacred idol, in presence of the whole people assembled, raising a cross upon the debris. Thus began the decline of what was once so splendid and so vital a part of the early life.

After taking Curcio Francisco Pizarro came in 1534 to Pachacamac, holding with orgies in the sacred courts and still further horrifying a people already crushed and outraged.

The final struggle came, however, and the depopulation of the entire valley began, in the wars of Manco Inca, who in 1536 gathered all the Indians in a futile death struggle with Spain. After that the sands blew in and over the old faith, actually and metaphorically; Franciscans, Augustinians, Jesuits came successively to the valley, and its distinctive history was past.

But the knowledge of archaeological vision has made the old days live again, has vitalized the ancient faith and brought before modern eyes the actual daily life and worship of these prehistoric tribes, whose whitened skulls still cluster about their violated shrine.

so nearly obliterated that there seems at first sight little to repay study. Archaeology begins the task of reconstructing the past; geography enables us to determine the moor of life which must prevail, especially among primitive peoples, under given conditions of physical environment. If we can correctly picture the geographic environment of the Hohokam, we may learn much of the history of our earliest fellow-countrymen—Ellsworth Huntington, in Harper's Magazine.

## MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

**Bayton Harbor.**—William E. Smith, well-known farmer a mile west of Bayton Center, started for the barn to do the usual chores. Two hours later members of the family found his body in a six-foot water tank in the barnyard. The family's theory is that he suffered some kind of stroke and fell into the tank. Others think it a case of suicide. Smith was sixty-four years old. A widow and three children survive.

**Detroit.**—Mystery surrounding the disappearance of David Alois, twenty-seven years old, who has been missing from his home, 769 Larned street east, since last December, has been solved. The body of the man was found floating in the waters of Maumee Bay, near Toledo, by fishermen. Alois came to this city about a year ago. On December 23, 1910, he left the house to visit a drug store, and failed to return. James Alois, his brother, believes that David met with foul play.

**Port Huron.**—Actuated by a desire to have her crippled daughter restored to health, Mrs. Alfred M. LaForge of 2038 Tenth street, fell a victim to the wiles of a gypsy, Mrs. Oliver Bone, and gave to the latter \$34 in cash and a piece of the dress goods. The gypsy woman carried at the LaForge home, and wanted to tell fortunes. She saw the little crippled child and stated to Mrs. LaForge that through her mystic powers she could restore the little girl to health.

**Saginaw.**—The annual convention of the Michigan miners' district No. 24, opened in Saginaw with a large number of delegates present. The returns of the recent election were tabulated and the following officers were declared elected: President, Joseph Smith, Bay City; Vice-president, Henry Elliott, Saginaw; Secretary-treasurer, Thomas Headington, Bay City; national board member, William Diamond, Saginaw.

**Cadillac.**—Delmar Merritt was arrested here by Flint officers and was taken to that city. Some months ago Merritt is alleged to have made an attack on his wife and another man whom he found in his home. Merritt's father went on his bond but the father fearing that the son was about to leave for the west, notified the officers he would no longer stand good for the offender.

**Lansing.**—Labor Commissioner Fletcher has appointed Mrs. Beatrice Massey of Grand Rapids, state factory inspector to succeed Miss Lucella Burton, who left the department about two weeks ago. Mrs. Massey will have supervision over all of the factories outside of Wayne, Washtenaw and Oakland counties.

**Kalamazoo.**—The Commercial club gave impetus to a movement to erect a \$50,000 statue of ex-Senator Julius Caesar Burrows at Millham park, Kalamazoo.

**Menominee.**—Mrs. Marie Larson died at St. Joseph's hospital. Menominee, as the result of injuries she received by falling through a tannery at the residence of her son.

**Lowell.**—Albert Penning, a rural mail carrier, aged thirty-five years, got stuck at five o'clock in the morning and wrote a few lines to his wife saying: "Don't blame me. It is the only way out of it, you will soon find out all about it." Then, placing the note on the kitchen table, he went to the barn, closed the door and shot himself through the heart.

When found by his wife a few minutes later his clothing was burning and the barn full of smoke. Doctor Anderson was called but life was extinct.

**Lansing.**—Governor Osborn transmitted to the board of control of the Newberry asylum a letter received from Fr. A. W. Geers, pastor of the Catholic church at Newberry, calling his attention to instances of discriminations against him as a pastor who is obliged to look after the welfare of the Catholic inmates.

Fr. Geers mentions that the asylum authorities have persistently refused to erect an altar for the celebration of mass.

**Adrian.**—As the result of a bold midnight burglary at the farm home of Fred Beck, five miles south of the city, three Adrian lads, Leon Vaughn, aged eighteen, Arthur Cornell, seventeen, and O. M. Day, fourteen, are in the county jail awaiting trial. The lads, it is alleged, forced an entrance through a cellar window and carried away Mr. Beck's trousers, from which they took about \$25 in bills and change.

**Saginaw.**—After several blocks of sprinting through the business district by Officer Barnes, a man calling himself Charles Smith, supposed forger, was captured and looked up at Central police station. Smith is believed to be the man who passed a worthless check on a West side merchant and before the banks opened visited several places on the East side trying the same game, which did not work.

**Corral.**—Beatrice, the two-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Bollo, dropped dead while playing in the family parlor. Heart failure induced by an enlarged colon was the cause of death. She had but recently returned from Detroit, where she was treated by specialists, and was thought to be recovering.

**Baton Rouge.**—F. P. Mosley one of the most prominent pioneer residents of this section, was stricken with paralysis at his home near Onondaga, where he has resided for the past 61 years. His condition is critical.

**Detroit.**—The passenger steamer City of St. Ignace, was barely saved from sinking at her dock in the Detroit river. Workmen had left a stopcock in her hull open, and the hold filled with water. The leak was discovered just in time to apply the pumps before the boat had listed more than forty-five degrees.

**Saginaw.**—Judge William Glover Gage has granted a writ of habeas corpus to Julius Wells against Mrs. Anna Brennan, his mother-in-law, for the custody of his infant child, Francis Wells, fourteen days old.

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"What's the matter with him?" "Well, you know that girl of his thinks he doesn't use tobacco. Yesterday he was hurrying around the corner and he ran right into the girl. He had a chew in his mouth."

"Yes, yes; go on."

"There were two things to do—hurry by or swallow."

"Well?" "Bill talked to her for five minutes."

**Where Surgery Falls Short.**—Surgery, said Simon, Lord, at a dinner in New York, accomplishes wonders nowadays. Hearts are sewed up; the appendix is removed; the large intestine is done away with. But—

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## HomeCircleDepartment

A column dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Crude thoughts as they fall from the Editorial Pen—Pleasant Evening Reveries.

Horace Mann once wrote a beautiful truth in the form of an advertisement. "Lost, yesterday, somewhere between sunrise and sunset, two golden hours; each set with sixty diamond minutes. No reward is offered, for they are gone forever."

There is no foolishness in the world so great as to be a hypocrite. He is hated of the world for seeming to be a Christian; he is hated by God for not being one. He hates himself and he is even despised by Satan for serving him and not acknowledging it. They are really the best followers and greatest dupes he has; they serve him better than any other, but receive no reward.

The afternoons and evenings are given to society work. Of course this does not apply to all homes, but there is a general tendency to neglect the claims of the family for quietude and pleasure. We have met some women, who when asked if they keep house, blushing reply, "We do light housekeeping because we dislike boarding."

Our company politeness is generally superficial because we are little or nothing for those we try to be polite to. It is assumed. But if we are interested in those at home and are anxious to make their lives pleasant, we will endeavor to give expression to that interest, and in doing that we will be doing a really polite thing for such feelings. The cultivation of this expression will be the best possible education in true politeness.

Let young men remember that their chief happiness in life depends upon their wife's faith in them. No womanly wisdom, no misanthropic philosophy, no generalization, can ever so weakly state this fundamental truth. It stands like the record of God himself. It is nothing less than this: If a man should put a seal upon lips that are wont to speak slightly of women.

In nine cases out of ten, man's life will not be a success if he does not bear burdens in his childhood. If the fondness or vanity of father or mother has kept him from hard work; if any other always helped him out at the end of his bow; if instead of taking his turn at pitching off he stowed away all the time in short, if what was light always fell to him, and what was heavy about the same work to some one else; if he has been permitted to shirk, until shirking has become a habit, unless a miracle has been wrought his life will be a failure, and the blame will not be so much his as that of his weak and foolish parents.

On the shores of the Adriatic sea the fishermen's wives come down at sunset and sing to their husbands ones home. On the mountains of Tyrol hundreds of women and children go out nightly and sing their native songs until fathers, husbands, brothers and sons answer on their return home. What a beautiful home-coming. Is it not worthy of imitation by our most polished citizens? A type of that welcome we hope every reader of this department will receive when they reach the golden gates of Eden.

Home is or should be, the nucleus around which all the beautiful and precious elements of happiness are to cluster—the shrines where sacred things of heart and soul are treasured as gifts precious and inestimable. No man or woman can know perfect happiness in an earthly sense who has not known the charm of a sweet and peaceful home. True there are instances when in the midst of home unhappiness and misery the soul looks up to the home eternal in the heavens and is comforted and strengthened, but even in this they have never realized the beautifulness of this earthly life.

Back to the home is the cry going up from thousands; let us educate our daughters for pure womanly wisdom, give them the highest education with in our power, but keep them close to our hearts; teach them the rudiments of housekeeping, keeping the one great truth before them that a woman is more satisfactory to herself and those dear to her when she is a womanly woman, firm, capable, but kind and gentle, keeping her pathway through life bright and good.

There are plenty of things to fret about. It is simply astonishing how

much annoyance may be found in the course of every day's living even at the simplest, if one only keeps a sharp eye out on that side of things. Even holy writ says we are prone to trouble as sparks to fly upward. But even to the sparks flying upward in the blackest of smoke there is a blue sky above, and the less time they waste on the road the sooner they will reach it. Forgetting is all time wasted on the road.

To every temple there is an architect—a builder whose taste and skill like the lamp of Aladdin shall create all its beauty and harmony. In the temple of home there is one master spirit, not the robed priest who offers gifts to the gods, but the true and noble woman who gives hand and heart and life to the exercise of virtues which make home happy and beautiful, and in these patience is an all important factor. Does the husband come home worn and harassed by the burden and toil of the day? Has the curb of self-repression galled him? Have the spears of the world's battle wounded him and he comes to the home haven so depressed and care burdened that he forgets or omits for the moment a word of caress or love? How should this be met? Even by that patience which suffers without murmuring, by that spirit of true and tender love which lays its best offering on the altar of home happiness. The wife knows that this is but a fleeting cloud on the sky of love—the shadow of a veil thrown temporarily over the statue of a king. Patience will do its perfect work and cloud and veil be but as phantoms of a dream.

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## The Worst Yet.

Once heard a story of a cheerful skater who died and went to the pearly gate, and asked if he might go in. St. Peter said: "I will look at your sins, and see if you're recharged with sin." So he pulled his ledger and his day books down, and looked them through as he grew a frown and muttered: "Your name is pants; in some divisions you stack up high; you didn't swear, didn't often lie and you didn't smoke or dance. You passed through life with high renown, and you cut some grass in your native town, as my books do plainly show. You had one habit that makes me tired, so to other darkness you must be turned so down with the goats you go. Your wife was ever a patient soul, she always was busted flat; she had to beg and she had to hunt; pull pants from an old skinner, whenever she wished a hat. You sent long green to the heathen-gods, because you thought it would advertise the pinstrip of your suit, but your wife must get on her war-bones, and you always filled the house with moans, whenever you drew your roll so close your suit to the dread abode where roll brimstone's used by the wagon-load, and the weather's always dry as a man like you in our realm of grace would jar the saints till they'd jump the place, and start up another sky. Ex.

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More closely, as in other men you note The bag-kneed trousers and the seedy coat. Pick flaws; find fault; forget the man is you; And strive to make your estimate along true.

Confront yourself and look you in the eye— Just stand aside and watch yourself go by. Interpret all your motives just as though You looked on one whose aims you did not know.

Let undiluted contempt surge through you when You see you shirk, O commonest of men! Despise your cowardice, condemn what'er You note of falseness in you any where.

Defend not one defect that shames your eye— Just stand aside and watch yourself go by. And then, when eyes unveiled to what you loathe— To sins that with sweet charity you'd clothe.

Back to your self-walled tenement you'll go With tolerance for all who dwell below. The faults of others then will dwindle and shrink. Love's chain grow stronger by one Mighty link.

When you, with 'he' as substitute for 'I', Have stood and watched yourself go by— Kills a Murderer.

## Old Age Pensions in Germany.

The old-age pension has not made a mendicant of the German workman, but it has driven the beggar from the street. The workman himself contributes to the fund at the rate of two to three cents a week. In eighteen years the total fund has reached \$375,000,000. The number of persons insured of a peaceful old age is 10,914,333. Besides, they are provided with medical attendance and splendid sanitariums in the country. That these provisions to help old people out in the hour of need do not paralyze thrift is shown by the fact that in ten years deposits in German savings banks have risen from one billion to two billion dollars.

## What a graceful thing for the State

to pass a teachers' pension bill! Not merely graceful, but right and just. Teachers' wages barely afford a living. Many a teacher who has faithfully served the state for 25 or 35 years in training youth for good citizenship finds herself at last incapable of further service, and without means of support. Figure it out for yourself. Mr. Legislator, how much do you think could be put by for a rainy day from a salary of \$350, \$450, or \$500 per year? The pension system prevails not only in Germany, but in all Europe, Holland, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Spain, Portugal, France, Italy and England have had for many years laws permitting the retirement of teachers either on account of disability or age. Several American cities, among them Detroit, provide pensions for teachers. The proposed law now up to our legislature is a step in the right direction.—Moderator Topics.

The courts sometimes make short work with defective food supplies. In St. Louis the other day it was shown before a United States district judge that 736 tubs of eggs and 801 cases of catsup were not only no better than they should be but much worse, and as a result of this violation of the statutes made and provided for protecting the health of the people the whole lot was ordered dumped into the Mississippi. The government inspector went into a calculation regarding bad eggs. He found that there were from 31,000,000 to 85,000,000 bacteria to the cubic centimetre, and that this proportion carried out would give several hundred trillions of germs for the entire mass. It is very unpleasant to contemplate the possibilities from such an array of bacteria-jaden food on the market. We wonder how many times and how many places it is actually done.—Saginaw News.

The editor was busy when he was asked, "How are the markets?" The man was referred to the office devil, who looked wise and said: "Young men, upstairs; girls lively and in demand; papaya firm, but declining; manna unsettled, waiting for higher bids; coffee, especially mixed, fresh fish, active and slippery eggs quiet, but expected to open soon; whiskey, still going down; onions, strong; yeast, rising; breadstuffs, heavy; boots and shoes, those on the market are sold and constantly going up and down; hats and caps, not so high as last year, excepting foolscap, which is stationary; tobacco, very low and has a downward tendency; silver, close, but not close enough to get hold of."—Ex.

## WHAT WOMAN LIKES IN MAN

Pleasing Manners, Deference, Courtesy and a Vigorous, Healthy, and Well-Groomed Appearance.

A woman likes pleasing manners in a man. She likes deference and courtesy and attentiveness in small things. Manners often make more of an appeal to her than sterling worth. That's the reason foreigners make such headway with American women. They never forget to be deferential and courteous, to say the little things and to do the little things that warm the cockles of the feminine heart. This may be all wrong. Perhaps she ought to appreciate the character more than the veneer. But she doesn't. The average woman isn't practical. She's romantic. She likes roses and bonbons. Many men give her cabbage and beefsteak. Cabbage and beefsteak are all right, but as a steady diet they are tiresome. She'll take less cabbage and beefsteak if thereby she may have some roses and bonbons.

A woman likes a man to look healthy and to be well groomed. She likes a vigorous body, a healthy skin and a look that betokens a daily acquaintance with the bath-tub, not merely because she likes beauty, though she does, but because these things betoken good habits.

A woman, if she is a wife or a sweetheart, likes expressions of love. She gets tired of taking a man's love for granted. It grows faint and far away, and life is cold and commonplace, when he does not tell her in actual words he loves her, and show her by actual caresses, how much. To some men, this seems all foolishness. They think that paying bills is the best proof of their love. But again, most women are not practical, and bills are uninteresting things, not half so enjoyable or warm and vital as a kiss or a caress.

## QUEER THING IN BIRD LIFE

Fantail Pigeons Hatch Out a Bantam Chick but Have Trouble in Feeding It.

The following experience, says a writer in the Strand, I have recently had may be of interest to your readers. I have two fantail pigeons, both male birds, and I noticed one day that they built a nest and then were sitting on it alternately, as if they were going to hatch eggs. It struck me, that it might be a good idea to put an egg of my bantam into the nest to compensate the pigeons for the trouble they had taken in building it. Apparently they appreciated my doing so, as from that time they never left the nest for about three weeks, when, to my great surprise, I found a little chicken peeping from the pigeon's nest. It was touching to see how the pigeons tried to feed the chicken by opening their beaks, like pigeons do, and inviting the youngster to help himself to the contents of their crops, which, of course, it refused to do, because it is a chicken and not a pigeon. The pigeons are very fond of the little one, and take it under their wings to keep it warm whenever it wants it, exactly as a hen treats her chickens.

## The Women of Brittany.

To the casual observer the Bretonne is not attractive or even supremely interesting. As a female she is clumsy, slovenly and rough of speech, lacking the graces and neatness of her Parisian sister. She shuffles about in felt slippers, her voluminous black skirts catch in everything, and if she waits at the table d'hotel her method of handling cutlery is strongly calculated to sever one's jugular vein. She has no regularity in her work, and at the hour that she ought to be making beds she is probably sitting on the public staircase nursing her baby. She is generally married and, conversely, often ten years younger than you take her to be. To English eyes she is rarely beautiful. Her hair is strained tightly under her cap, her cheeks have seldom any delicate tint and her figure and motions are ungainly and awkward.—Wide World.

## Queer Marital Relations.

Curious marriage customs prevail among the people dwelling in the Tangi Valley in India. Here it seems that the women are polygamous, and that several brothers possess one wife in common. The custom is said to be due to the poverty of the people. The children bear the names of all the husbands of the mother. How such a custom as to names works out in practice it is difficult to comprehend. The divorce customs are very simple. If the husband establishes that his wife is a bad cook it is a sufficient ground; and on the wife's side, if she can show that her husband fails to provide for the upkeep of the house, she obtains relief.

## Shock Alarmed Glasgow.

Severe earthquake shocks are rare in Scotland and therefore the districts surrounding Glasgow were thrown into a state of considerable alarm last week following a sudden fall and upheaval which lasted for a few seconds. The inhabitants rushed from their houses into the streets, thinking at first that the shocks were caused by an explosion at a gasworks. No serious damage was done, although the earth tremors caused many gas mains to break. Buildings in Glasgow were shaken, crockery was rattled, and the girls in the telephone exchanges were alarmed by many bells being set ringing. The same area was shaken in 1888.

## Don't Hear at Telephone.

Among the many curiosities of the telephone and one which certainly never was thought of when the instrument was invented, is the fact that persons who are extremely deaf can hear perfectly over the telephone. Those who are so deaf that they can distinguish nothing which is said to them except by the motion of the lips or by the use of an ear trumpet or other similar device can carry on long distance telephone conversations with perfect ease and never miss a word.

## As to Uss of Soap.

Can soap be done without? According to a member of the English public, it is quite an unnecessary article, and it may be kept off with plain water. Nations have risen to greatness without soap. Ancient Rome, our old familiar companion, knew nothing of soap until she came in contact with the Germans and the Gauls, who used it to brighten the color of the hair. Once or twice soap is mentioned in the Old Testament, but it doesn't mean the oily substance that it is today. Painful as it is for Americans who have lived in England to admit, it would be better for general comfort if more soap was used there. Thus, instead of advancing its cost, let it be lessened and so place the cleansing article within the reach of all. But the new soap combine doesn't view the situation in that light precisely. It takes the cake and the public pays.

## How Far Can You See?

What is the farthest limit to which the human vision can reach? Power in his book, "The Eye and Sight," gives the ability to see, the star, Alcor, situated at the tail of the Great Bear, as the test. Indeed, the Arabs call it the Test star. It is most extraordinary to be able to see Jupiter's satellites with the naked eye, though one or two cases are recorded, the third satellite being the most distinct. Peruvians are said to be the longest sighted race on earth. Humboldt records a case where these Indians perceived a human figure 18 miles away, being able to recognize that it was human a d d in white. This is probably the record for far sight.

## The Lusitania's Telephones.

The telephones used on the steamship Lusitania are quite interesting. The induction coil, conductor and bell of the instrument are enclosed in a small white enamel box, and the switch hook which projects from one side is provided with a special retaining device to prevent the receiver from being knocked off by the motion of the ship. The receiver is allowed to rock on the hook, otherwise the lever would lift and make a false connection when the ship was pitching and rolling.

## British House of Lords.

The house of lords is almost as old as the British people. Away back in the days of the Heptarchy we find the assembly known as the "Witenagemot" or "Council of Wise Men," composed of the leading men in church and state, which assisted the king in the making of the laws of the realm. Naturally, under the circumstances, these big men became the "whole thing," so to speak, and in the course of time they became the "Lords," temporal and spiritual, making up the present "house of lords."—London Standard.

## Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said County, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1911.

Present: Hon. Wellington Batterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Baker deceased.

Clara M. Peterson, widow of said deceased having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Allen B. Failing, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

WELLINGTON BATTERSON, Judge of Probate.

Attest copy.

Wellington Batterson, Judge of Probate.

March 23-3w

## Attacks School Principal.

A severe attack on school principal, Charles H. Peterson, was made by a student, thus told by him. "For more than three years," he writes, "I suffered indescribable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys. All remedies failed till I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely." Such results are common. Thousands bless them for curing stomach trouble, female complaints, kidney disorders, biliousness, and for new health and vigor. Try them. Only 50c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

## Notice Patrons.

I hereby announce that I am in the field to take orders for all kinds of nursery stock, for the Perry Nursery Company, for this spring delivery, the largest in the world. The most beautiful roses to be had, at very special rates. It pays to hold your orders till I can call.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. TOBIN

## A Great Opportunity.

For sale—Two hundred acres of land on the south end of Portage Lake, the finest location on the finest lake in northern Michigan. Three forties fronting entire on the water and two joining on the south high land especially adapted for fruit or general farming. This property belongs to the estate of Chris Larson, and must be sold. Call on or address, P. C. PETERSON, Grayling, Mich.

## For Sale.

The County of Crawford offers for sale the old County Infirmary, situated on Ogden street east, consisting of a nine-room house in good repair, and two corner lots. Cheap for cash, or liberal terms on part. For price, see A. Taylor, Chairman of Building Committee.



# Washburns-Crosby's

## GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

The World's best possible

# MAKES

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than any other kind of flour

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## THE GOLDEN

# Promise of Spring

Comes Floating Through The Store.

Here and there, and everywhere, like Blossoms Bursting forth, are the Newest, and the Latest for the coming season, now almost here!

The Spring of 1911 will be the Greatest of our Career.

We take pleasure in introducing to the Ladies' our New 1911 Dress Goods. Beautiful Patterns in Gingham, Flaxons, Foulards, Dimities, Tristan Stripes and Shepherd Checks in Black and White 15, 25, 50 and 55 cents a yard, in suiting weights.

# A. KRAUS & SON.

LEADING DRY GOODS STORE.

## For Sale.

The S. 1/4 of the N.W. 1/4 of section 8, T-28 N. of Range 3 West, Crawford County, Mich., 20 acres cleared, good well on the land, hardwood stump land on main traveled road, 2 1/2 miles from Waters, nice lake one-fourth mile from land, will take \$3500. cash for the same. Call or write, ARCHIE HOWSE, Frederic, Mich.

## Proposals Wanted.

The Superintendent of the Poor will receive sealed proposals from the Physicians of Crawford County for the professional services and medicine for the County Poor for the coming year, until Tuesday noon April 11, 1911. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. By order of the Board.

Mar 16-31 P. AEBL, Sec.

## A Pierce Night Alarm

is the hoarse startling cough of a child suddenly attacked by croup. Often it arouses Lewis Chamberlain of Manchester, O. (R. R. No. 2) for their four children were greatly afflicted by croup. "Sometimes in severe attacks," he wrote "we were afraid they would die, but since we proved what a certain remedy Dr. King's New Discovery is, we have no fear. We rely on it for croup and for coughs or colds or any throat or lung trouble." So do thousands of others. So may you. Asthma, Hay Fever, La Grippe, Whooping Cough, Hemorrhages by before it. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Sold by A. M. Lewis & Co.

## Manistee & N. E. R. R. Time Card

In effect Jan. 26, 1911.

Read Down.	Read Up.
P. M.	P. M.
2:25 Grayling ar.	1:25
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3:55 " Watkley "	11:45
4:24 " Buckton "	10:33
4:44 " Giesgarry "	10:30
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9:37 " Platte-Riv. "	10:17
9:56 " Lake Ann "	10:17
10:11 " Solon "	9:53
10:17 " Fowlert "	9:47
10:30 " Traverse-C "	9:35
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## CONNECTIONS.

At Walton for points north and south on G. R. & I. R. R.  
At Kaleva for points on P. M. R. R.  
At Manistee for Chicago and Milwaukee via boat lines.  
E. A. MITCHELL, Gen. Traffic Mgr.

D. RIELY, Gen. Pass. Agt.

Which is Entirely Different. It is true, as the Richmond, Va. stenographer, but often he becomes her husband.—Charleston News and Courier.



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## Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 23

### Local and Neighbored News.

#### Take Notice.

The date following your address on this paper shows to what time your subscription is paid. Our terms are \$1.50 per year in advance. If your time is up, please renew promptly. A X following your name means we want our money.

All advertisements, communications, correspondence, etc., must reach us on Tuesday forenoon, and can not be considered later.

#### Sweet cream at Brink's Grocery.

Order your coal of Salling, Hanson Co. Prices low, and prompt delivery.

Call on George Langevin for dry wood, to be promptly delivered.

River boat for sale, inquire at this office.

Order your coal of Salling, Hanson Co. Prices low, and prompt delivery.

Geo. Langevin delivers St. Charles coal at your house. Phone 591.

Both—To Mr. and Mrs. Silvas Mar. 16, a daughter.

#### Bates sells the best Coal.

Let me quote you a price on Royal or Asbestos Roofing, put on, F. R. Deckrow.

All the sweet cream you want at Brink's Grocery.

FOR SALE—Two houses near the South Side Grocery Store. Call on or address, Olson Stool.

FOR SALE—Four houses in the village of Grayling, for particulars see or address T. BOESON. mar21f

Fine Bathroom outfit in display window No. 400 Cedar street, F. R. Deckrow.

St. Charles Coal is the best ever brought to this market. For sale by Geo. Langevin, Phone No. 591.

When you have rheumatism in your feet or instep apply Chamberlain's Liniment and you will get quick relief. It costs but a quarter. Why suffer? For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Maude Bellmore of Beaver Creek has a fine team which she offers for sale cheap. Address or call, Mrs. Maude Bellmore, Wellington, Mich. mar21f

Gentlemen when you get ready for a new suit, call in and see. Satisfaction guaranteed. Shop over Colleen's Restaurant. A. E. Hendrickson. jan19-4t

FOR SALE—A good six room house and four lots in a good location and good repair, for \$800.00, a good deal less than the house would cost today. call on or address E. H. WAINWRIGHT.

The most common cause of insomnia is disorders of the stomach. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets correct these disorders, enable you to sleep. For sale by all dealers.

FOR SALE—Thirteen fine building lots, one hundred dollars and upwards. Dwelling house on lots one and two. Young orchard in bearing, any one or all lots will be sold. For particulars have a talk with Wright Havens, Grayling, Mich.

If you have trouble in getting rid of your cold you may know that you are not treating it properly. There is no reason why a cold should hang on for weeks and it will not if you take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For sale by all dealers.

Read the 3rd chapter of our continued story, call annual notice of tax sales, in supplement of this week, and look for your land descriptions.

John W. SickleSmith, Greensboro, Pa., has a fine child and like most children they frequently take cold. "We have tried several kinds of cough medicine," he says, "but have never found any yet that did them as much good as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." For sale by all dealers.

We have arranged with The Weekly Inter Ocean and Farmer so that our patrons can secure that sterling paper together with our own, at the exceedingly low price of \$1.75 for one year. This is a rare opportunity and should be taken advantage of.

FOR SALE—A full line of buggies and harness for sale at my livery barn. A few second hand rigs, and anything you want, new from the factory. Call and if you do not find what you want in stock, find it in the catalogue. Geo. Langevin. jan20

Do you know that of all the minor ailments colds are by far the most dangerous? It is not the cold itself that you need to fear, but the serious diseases that it often leads to. Most of these are known as green diseases. Pneumonia and consumption are among them. Why not take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and cure your cold while you can? For sale by all dealers.

I have bought the entire grocery stock of Silas Body, with all store accounts due to him, which are to be paid to me. New stock has been put in, and I am prepared to meet all calls. Come and see me at the grocery store on the south side of the river. feb23. WALMER JORGENSEN.

The Title Guarantee and Surety Co. of Scranton, Pa., is among the strongest in the world. Bonds for School, Township, County or state officials, when by them are accepted everywhere, and at so small a cost that no one need be dependent on the kindness of personal friends. O. PALMER, Agent.

## Reception at the hospital both afternoon and evening of March 23th.

Two houses for sale, for particulars inquire of Mrs. H. Joseph.

Christopher R. King has been appointed P. M. at Wellington, in place of H. Benedict, resigned.

Don't buy your suit of trousers before you see our new stock just in, at bargain prices. Brenner's Cash Store.

FOR SALE—Three desirable lots in Rosettes addition to village of Grayling, for prices etc. inquire of Mrs. J. B. Woodburn.

Geo. Langevin has platted 40,000 trout in the Ausable this week, and J. C. Burton another big lot, from the State hatcheries.

All remember the reception and donation at the hospital next week, have a lunch and a good time with the ladies of Grayling.

The Red Tag Sale is the talk of the town. Have you seen the big bargains, if not come and see them. Brenner's Cash Store.

K. O. T. M. M. meeting night has changed from Saturday night to the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month, so don't forget. M. Brenner, F. K.

Married—At the M. E. Parsonage, Wednesday, March 15th, R. W. Dunham and Lena Struble were united in matrimony. Rev. James Ivey officiating.

Last week the United States supreme court gave an unanimous decision sustaining the corporation tax provisions of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law.

Auditor General Fuller estimates that the May disbursement of primary school money will amount to \$6.50 per capita, which is slightly larger than that of a year ago.

More help on the river this summer. A fine boy made his appearance at the home of Henry Stephan Monday, and the family have decided to keep him. Henry smiles audibly.

I wish to inform the ladies of Grayling that I am agent for C. A. Stephens & Bros. and will be pleased to show samples at any time. I pay express, Mrs. Lee Winslow.

Be good to the robins. A single bird of this family have been found to devour 175 caterpillars in a day, while the crop of another was found to have a collection of 100 potato bugs.

Snow in the village has nearly disappeared, the kids are playing marbles and all indications point toward the arrival of spring. We have only had 143 days of delightful sleighing and beautiful winter weather.

The Ladies Union will meet tomorrow, Friday, afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Geo. McCullough, for work. A full attendance is requested as the time is short to have everything ready for the fair.

Before long—strawberry shortcake, dandelions, mosquitoes, sticky fly-paper, screens, cucumbers, moving time, straw hats, spring chickens, ditto lamb with mint sauce, picnics, tomatoes and freckles.

J. H. Clements of Deerparkville, Mich., has completed an automatic fire alarm which when installed in a house or building gives warning of fires originating from defective chimneys, chimneys burning out, lightning striking chimney, etc.

PRESIDENT TAFT has called an extra session of congress for April 4th to take up the important question of reciprocity with Canada which died in the Senate with the last Congress. The new house of representatives will be overwhelmingly democratic while the Senate will be republican by a small majority.

The "Bryn family" have returned from the western wilds of Washington, where they went in 1909 for "health, wealth and happiness" to the "only town on the map," and purchased their old home down the river. They are glad to get back, and will be welcomed by many friends. It has been an expensive outing.

Chapter three of our continued story of taxes, delinquent for the year 1908, and previous years, which will be offered for sale at the Co. Treasurer's office the first of May, appears in this issue. Owners of land in this county should give careful attention, and know if any of their land appears in the list.

TO ALL THE CITIZENS OF FREDERICK: You are all most cordially invited to attend the "Hospital Day"—March 28, 1911—at Grayling, you will have an opportunity of going through the hospital, receive refreshments and see one of the modern and up-to-date hospitals in our fair state of Michigan. Come one, come all, all are welcome.

The tremendous profits which the mail order houses have made the past year show that these patrons did not get the bargains they have supposed. To read the catalogues of these houses one would suppose that they were practically giving away things out of sheer goodness of heart. But the truth is that taking quality, measure and other things into consideration the man who patronizes such concerns does not do nearly so well as if he bought of his home merchants. The quality of mail order goods is usually inferior, there is generally a shortage in quantity and measure, and the man who patronizes such concerns does not do nearly so well as if he bought of his home merchants. The quality of mail order goods is usually inferior, there is generally a shortage in quantity and measure, and the man who patronizes such concerns does not do nearly so well as if he bought of his home merchants. The quality of mail order goods is usually inferior, there is generally a shortage in quantity and measure, and the man who patronizes such concerns does not do nearly so well as if he bought of his home merchants.

## Another Pioneer "Gone Home."

Ira H. Richardson, of South Branch, died at his home in that township, Friday March 17, 1910, and was buried Monday March 20, in the cemetery near his home under the auspices of Grayling Lodge F. and A. M. Rev. W. M. Todd of Cheboygan, officiating.

The deceased was the son of Ira Richardson, a native of Connecticut and Lydia Richardson of New York. He was born at Halderman, Northumberland County, Canada, Aug. 29, 1845, and died in the 65th year of his age.

The family came to Clinton County, Michigan, during his childhood, where, on Nov. 10, 1864, he was married to Helen E. Davidson, and in 1873 moved to Roscommon County, coming to Grayling in 1875, and in 1878 moved out to his farm in South Branch township, where he died and was buried beside his wife who preceded him, January 23 of this year.

They were playmates and lovers during their childhood, and their conjugal love had grown with the years of their mature life. Her death was the first break in the family circle, excepting one child, Willie, that died in 1870 at the age of seventeen months. Six children survive them: Mrs. Jennie Richardson; Mrs. Addie Pearsall; Mrs. Minnie Gregory; Mrs. Etta Nowlin; Frank H. and Earnest P. Richardson, all of this, and Roscommon County; with thirty grand-children and four great grand-children; also one sister, Mrs. O. R. Sloan, of Northville in this state.

Mr. Richardson has long been recognized as one of our progressive citizens, prosperous in his business, and especially in agriculture, and always consulted in whatever looked for the betterment of our people. Their home was always noted for its open-hearted hospitality, and the generous welcome ever given.

He was made a Master Mason in Grayling Lodge No. 396 April 27, 1882, and entered Grayling Chapter No. 120 July 3, 1885.

A loving husband and father, an honored pioneer citizen and an honest man, has gone to his reward.

### PAUL IVEY.

One of the Two Lawrence Orators To Participate in the State Meet At the Methodist Church Here Next Friday Evening.

Paul Ivey, who won second place in the Lawrence interclass oratorical contest, held here last winter, will speak Friday night in the state contest, having been chosen by the judges on thought and composition.

Mr. Ivey, whose home at present is at Grayling, Mich., came to Lawrence three years ago, as a graduate of the Lapeer high school. At the present time, he is the business manager of the "Lawrentian," a member of the 1912 Aetna board, treasurer of the Junior class, and a member of the Albion debate team. Appleton (Wis.) Daily Post.

The subject chosen by Mr. Ivey for last Friday evening was "The Path to Peace," a copy of this oration shows careful preparation, and study of the great question among the nations of the earth today. His success will be appreciated by his family and friends here who send him congratulations.

### Presbyterian Church.

Sunday, March 26, 1911. Mid week prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Subject—"A Verse of Scripture Which Reveals the Heart of God." Sabbath School at 11:45 a. m. "A B. Failing, Suppl."

Christian Endeavor at 4:00 p. m. Subject—"A Missionary Journey Around the World." The U. S. West considered.

Preaching service 7:00 p. m. Subject—"Moses: The World's greatest legislator." J. HUMPHREY FLEMING, Pastor.

### M. E. Church.

Sunday, March 26, 1911. The regular services at the M. E. church for next Sunday are as follows:

10:30 a. m. Public Service. Subject—"The Good Fight of Faith the Armor and the Weapon."

11:45 a. m. Sunday School. 3:00 p. m. Junior League. 6:00 p. m. Epworth League. Subject—"A Good Soldier."

Leader—Mrs. Wingard. 7:00 p. m. Public service. Subject—"Surprises at the Day of Judgment."

Revival services every night at 7 o'clock except Saturday night. The public is invited. JAMES IVEY, Pastor.

Chas. W. Price, editor of the "Electrical Journal," predicts that in the near future the consumption of coal and other fuels for household purposes will give way to the use of stored electricity, which will be cheaper and more desirable in every way. This conclusion, he says, is based on knowledge of important experiments and discoveries.

### Has Millions Of Friends.

How would you like to number your friends by millions as Bucklen's Aches and Pains has done its astounding cure in the last forty years made them. It is the best salve in the world for sores, ulcers, eczema, burns, boils, scalds, cuts, corns, coldsores. Has no equal for piles. 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

## Has Cured Thousands of Rheumatism

There is "nothing certain in the treatment of rheumatism—there is nothing guaranteed to cure."

### NYAL'S

Rheumatic Remedy. Comes the nearest to any remedy of receiving a guarantee.

It is more prompt and certain in its action than anything else we have ever sold.

It attacks the kidneys in cleansing the blood of impurities—stimulates the kidneys, bladder and liver to renewed activity, and rids the system of uric acid, the chief cause of rheumatism.

Relief in the shortest time possible—a decided difference after the first bottle.

This is not an experiment—Nyal's Rheumatic Remedy has been proving its merit for years.

One Dollar for a large sized bottle.

Whatever a good drug store ought to have—and many things that other drug stores don't keep—you'll find here. Come to us first and you'll get what you want.

### CENTRAL DRUG STORE

Secretary Marston of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau says: "Information has come to the Bureau that in several instances prospective settlers have reached towns in Northeastern Michigan and found a state of apathy among the real estate dealers that resulted in their disgustedly leaving for other fields where the land fraternity were more alert in 'showing their goods.'" The Bureau trusts these cases have been few and exceptional but would caution its real estate members to keep wide awake. One man going away disgruntled from this cause can destroy the effect of a lot of hard work on the part of the Bureau of individuals.

The opening of an alfalfa meal mill at Rifle, Colo., was celebrated in fit and decided fashion. A banquet was served, and every article on the bill of fare was made of or served with alfalfa. The turkey was stuffed with alfalfa, the biscuits were made of it, mashed alfalfa took the place of potatoes, and leaves of it were served instead of spinach. Salad made of alfalfa was served, and the beverages were alfalfa tea and elder. Toothpicks made of alfalfa straw were distributed. The chief toast of the evening was on "Alfalfa and Apples." We may look for celebrations of this kind in northern Michigan in the near future. Tawas Herald.

Over three hundred newspapers have gone out of business in Minnesota the last two years and the wonder is that more of them have not quit. There is no business in existence where so much work is done for "the joy of working," and where so much gratis service is expected. The newspaper that becomes a sort of accommodation institution for the town, instead of a business institution, is bound to shut up sooner or later, and the sooner the better for the editor. Austin Herald.

### Lovells Locals.

Messrs. McCallommore and Bessy have resumed work for C. W. Ward.

No school Wednesday afternoon on account of the teacher being ill, he had an attack of the grippe.

Mr. Gust Earnst was in town Saturday.

Mrs. McCallommore has been troubled with the grippe, we are glad to note she is improving.

Mr. Keel received two more fine sheep Saturday morning.

Mrs. Inez Carrier was doing business at Lovell Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Douglas has bought a large house in Grayling, and expects to move there and take possession of the same in the near future. Mrs. D. has been a resident of this place many years. She has taken an active part in church work and has played the organ for meetings when her health would permit. We are sorry to see any good neighbors move away, our loss will be Grayling's gain. DAN.

### St. Patrick at Frederic.

On St. Patrick's day, March 17, 1911, the Catholic ladies served a splendid oyster supper, and home talent presented a five act drama at the Frederic Opera House for the benefit of the new Catholic Church to be soon erected there.

The play was excellent—this being the unanimous opinion of the crowded house who witnessed the play. The actors, many of whom were on the stage for the first time, certainly did credit to themselves and also to their parts. Much credit is also due to Mr. Regal, who so faithfully managed the staging of this difficult drama.

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actually jealous. The wonder and the hurt of it swept across her heart. She remembered that almost a year had passed since he had come to see her. She had been lost in a sort of apathy, so used to his steady affec-

**The Shopper.**  
Customer (buying a hat)--None of these shapes comes far enough down on my face. When I see in the glass that I can't see myself, then we'll see.  
--Jungtje Blatter.

**By Dorothy Blackmore**

ways unconsciously of it, she had made it a point to ask the girl to the little reunions of old friends she planned for Philip's homecoming.

This year there had been so much gathering, but Helena was coming to see her old place in the Thanksgiving home in the last year of her mother's life. She had learned much, but her mother was ignorant of her fuller knowledge of his life.

If she knew now with what mixed emotions the young man waited the coming of the great feast day, she could not show it. Nor did she betray the secret she was holding in her

"I taught her to skate last winter."  
"The deuce! Then she's fooling  
me!"  
"Don't take it that way, old fellow.  
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